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Beauty, Quality Are Keynotes At Poultry Show

Brilliant Event Opens For Three-Day Exhibit. Pheasants Deck Stage

Easily retaining its place as the most beautifully appointed exhibit of its kind in Maryland and perhaps in the nation, the Ninth Poultry and Game Association sponsored by the Queen Anne's Poultry Association and the Upper Eastern Shore Conservation Association opened its doors at the Centreville Armory Wednesday morning for a three-day display ending tomorrow, Friday night.

This year's show exceeds last year's in the beauty of its setting, the quality and attractiveness of its exhibits and its stage display of silver and golden pheasants.

Native pine with Spanish moss in heavy festoons from the rafters form the background on the main floor. The stage is set with native pine, with other pine and chrysanthemums in varied hues banked against the apron. Twenty-two pheasants have been placed upon the stage in a natural setting.

Turkeys and chickens occupy the center of the wide drillshed. Along the south wall is a display of gamebirds, upland and waterfowl, with stuffed specimens of protected wildfowl.

A corn show, an innovation in this year's show, occupies the north wall while baby chicks and egg displays are placed immediately inside the entrance. One row of tables just inside the entrance is devoted to a petshow, rabbits, bantam poultry and other specimens being exhibited.

Judging started immediately after the exhibits were placed with Harold Tompkins, nationally known expert on Rhode Island Reds judging the chickens and Wade H. Rice, poultry specialist of the Extension Service at College Park, rating the turkeys.

The game show was supervised and arranged by John P. Corocoran, president of the Upper Eastern Shore Conservation Association.

John H. Moffett, president of the Queen Anne's Poultry Association is general manager of the show. The superintendents of the various sections chickens, Mrs. Mae Roe Roberts and Frank Boyle; trukeys, Mrs. Algernon Carter; game, J P. Corcoran; 4-H exhibit, Ralph McGinnis; baby chick and egg, Clarence Eley; and F. F A., J. Ralph Graham and Letha E. Taylor.

In connection with the show two banquets are being held. The Poultry banquet was held in the Little Theatre Wednesday night with John H. Moffett, toastmaster, and Harold F. Tompkins the chief speaker.

The banquet of the Upper Eastern Shore Conservation Association is to be held jointly with that of the Upper Eastern Shore chapter of the Izaak Walton League at Hotel Centreville this evening, Thursday, at 6:30 o'clock.

Three speakers, leaders in their fields, will address the banquet. These include Charles Jackson, deputy commissioner of the United States Bureau of Fisheries; Talbott Denmead, chief of the anglers' division, Bureau of Fisheries; and H. Lee Hoffman of Baltimore, president of the Maryalnd Outdoor Life Federation.

Mr. Jackson will show colored motion pictures of salmon and seal fishing on the West Coast and Alaska. Mr. Hoffman will present the program of the Maryland Outdoor Life Federation. Mr. Denmead will discuss the Black Bass Sale Prevention Law.

Attendance at the banquet is limited to 100 guests. Because of the interest of the public in the addresses to be made, seats accommodating an additional hundred will be placed at the disposal of the public in the hotel.

Junior Women Hold Business Session

Younger Set Discuss Many Items Monday

An active business marked the meeting of the Junior Woman's Club at the home of Mrs. Percy Pusey on Monday. The group voted to aid the senior Woman's Club in the Red Cross campaign with Mrs. Marvin Morris as chairman of the committee.

The club agreed to provide waitresses for the banquet of the Poultry Association at the Little Theatre Wednesday evening and plans to buy miscellaneous items for the club pre-school project.

An invitation to attend a program and entertainment of the Mt. Washington Junior Club was accepted and a delegation is to be present. Favorable consideration was also given to an invitation to attend a dinner of the St. Michaels Club at the Mechlenburg Club on December 14.

Mrs. Archibald Bennett was admitted to membership and signalized her entry by winning the prize in the Professor Quiz contest. Mrs. Garnett Walker and Mrs. Nelson Potter were guests at the session. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. William Thomas on Monday, November 21.

DEMOCRATS SWEEP QUEEN ANNE'S

U. S. Senator

Millard E. Tydings

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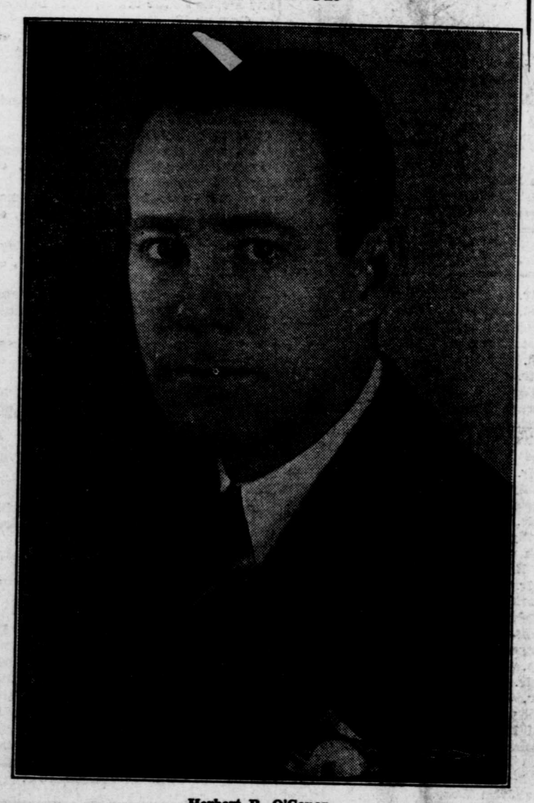


Herbert R. O'Conor

State Senator

Dudley G. Roe

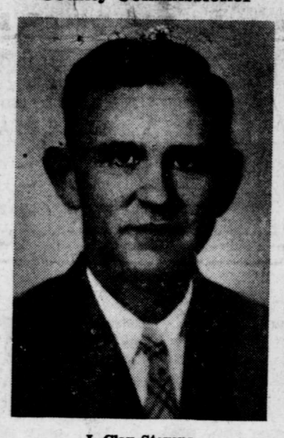
County Commissioner

Dr. J. W. Crowl

County Commissioner

Joseph M. George

County Commissioner



J. Clay Stevens

Clerk of Court

A. Sydney Gadd, Jr.

Red Cross Asks Full Response To Annual Roll Call

Membership Campaign Runs From Armistice Day To Thanksgiving Day

Joining with the rest of the nation, Queen Anne's county will start the annual Roll Call of the American Red Cross tomorrow, Friday, and continue it through Thanksgiving.

Plans for the Roll Call in Queen Anne's were completed at a meeting of chairmen from the various towns at the home of Mrs. Howard W. Ryland, county chairman, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The chairmen are as follows: Sudlersville, Mrs. Joseph M. George; Templeville, Miss Mary Knotts; Ingleside, Mrs. W. Rodgers Wilson; Crumpton, the Homemakers Club, Mrs. Gilbert Brown, president; Church Hill, Mrs. Walter C. Eastburn; Price Mrs. Frank Brower and Mrs. Oliver C. Newnam; Centreville, Mrs. Herman L. Meredith, Mrs. Nicholas Nides.

Ruthsburg, Mrs. Norman Mason; Queen Anne, Mrs. Horace Morgan, Mrs. Fred B. Sylvester; Queenstown, Mrs. Urie Cross; Grasonville, Mrs. Raymond F. Coursey, Mrs. Earl Coursey; Chester, Mrs. Lee Bell; Stevensville, Mrs. William Denny, jr., Mrs. Henry Grollman.

Each of the chairmen will be incharge of the Roll Call in her district. Solici-

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Holiday Dance Planned For Thanksgiving Night

A semi-formal Holiday Dance will be held at the Centreville Armory Thanksgiving night from 9:30 to 2:30 a. m. under the sponsorship of Company K and the management of Charles E. Anthony. A number of holiday visitors and returning students are expected to be present.

Intermission will be from 11:30 to 12:30 during which several intermission parties are being planned. Special decorations in keeping with the season will be arranged. Lew Startt's orchestra will play.

Government Supersedes Elections

Editorial

Another election in Queen Anne's County is history. No county in this country had a finer group of candidates placed before its voters than did ours. Those elected will give sincere and honest attention to their jobs. Those defeated would have done the same.

In the long history of our county government no official has ever been convicted or even accused of dishonest acts. This is a proud record.

There are few places where the privilege of serving the public is held in such high honor. When this is understood, the intensity of our local elections is understandable. This is sometimes carried to unwarranted extremes and it no doubt occurred this Fall. But in such cases, it was always the honor of office holding which rashly drove men on and not because the coveted offices paid fancy salaries or offered opportunities for personal graft.

The energy, time and thought put into an election of this kind is something tremendous. When it is over we have to rest up and arrange our factions for the next contest. This is all wrong. Our energies and efforts should be given to the problems of government faced by the officials after election. Government is more important than elections.

For instance, in this County, we have matters of great interest to our united happiness and prosperity which are dependent on solutions worked out by the men in office. These are busy men like ourselves. Alone, they seldom reach the best conclusions about thm. But with the same help they got during election, nothing can stop them.

We point out a few of these problems. First take taxes. How will we arrive at a tax that will be fairer and more helpful to the county?

Schools: Our children are leaving our high schools unprepared to enter college or to compete fairly if they do enter. This is no one's fault but likely a condition which only the entire county working together can correct.

Roads: Should the road supervision be returned to the county?

Should an almshouse be abandoned?

How can improved and cheaper transportation across Chesapeake Bay be secured?

How shall we express ourselves on State questions which affect the County?

Only an alert and interested electorate will correctly solve these and a hundred other questions of government. We recommend closer harmony and more discussion between elected officials and the people of the County. Occasional mass meetings would do no harm and much good.

And the officials themselves must forever remember they have been elected to serve not only those who voted for them but the entire citizenship.

We hope and actually believe that with the harmony existing between factions and parties and the desire of all to meet frankly the problems in the County we shall have four years of successful government.

The Queen Anne's Record-Observer congratulates every office holder and extends to each its hearty cooperation toward continued progress and improvement.

All-Star Soccer Teams To Battle Under Beacons

Kent, Queen Anne's Best Will Play At Baseball Park Friday

An all-star soccer game between teams representing Kent and Queen Anne's counties will be played at the Queen Anne's baseball park in Centreville under flood lights Friday night, the first soccer game ever to have been played under the lights in the county's history. Kickoff will be at 8 o'clock.

The game will be the rubber one between teams from the two counties, Kent having won the first tilt two years ago and Queen Anne's being the winner last year.

The contest will be sponsored by F. Asbury Bartlett, representing the Lights committee of the Queen Anne's Sports Activities and Nicholas Nides, representing the high school athletic activities. Pete Councill, official of the Maryalnd physical education department, will referee.

The all-star teams for Queen Anne's county named this week are as follows:

First team, Dudley, Church Hill, goal; W. Morris, Centreville, right fullback; T. Morris, Tri-County, left fullback; McFarland, Church Hill, right halfback; Walbert, Sudlersville, center halfback; Baker, Stevensville, left halfback; Gibson, Tri-County, right outside forward; Holden, Sudlersville, right inside forward; Drummer, Stevensville, center forward; Perkins, Centreville, left inside forward; and Coleman, Sudlersville, left outside forward.

The second team in the same order of positions includes Coursey, Sudlersville; Gardner, Stevensville; Benton, Sudlersville; Pierson, Stevensville; Golt, Centreville; Lucas, Church Hill; Leverage, Church Hill; White, Stevensville; Whitby, Tri-County; Mason, Centreville; Stevens, Sudlersville.

All star field ball teams, which do not play, however, were also named. These were as follows:

Kimble, Church Hill, g; Coleman, Stevensville, rfb; Turner, Centreville,

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O'Conor Leads Party To Smashing Victory

Democrats Roll Up Pluralities Topping 1,500 As Entire Ticket Rides To Triumph. Heavy Vote Cast. Voters Split On Four Referendums

Democratic state and county tickets swept Queen Anne's county in a landslide of votes which saw approximately 5500 voters of the 8,000 registered casting their ballots in a hard-fought contest Tuesday The margin of victory ranged from about 1,500 votes upwards.

Attorney-General Herbert R. O'Conor, who swept the state to be elected governor defeated Gov. Harry W. Nice 3408 to 2048 for a smashing lead. United States Senator Millard E. Tydings led his Republican opponent, Judge Oscar Leser, by an even wider margin, showing a total of 3946 votes against Judge Leser's 1.450.

In the county contest Former Senator Dudley G. Roe defeated his Republican rival, Dr. Elmer W. Sterling by a margin of 1,350 votes while his running mates were carried along by equally impressive margins.

The winners were:

Governor, Herbert R. O'Conor; United States Senator, Millard E. Tydings; Attorney General, William C. Walsh; Comptroller, J. Millard Tawes; Clerk of the Court of Appeals; James A. Young; Congressman T Alan Goldsborough; Associate Judge of the Second Judicial Circuit, Thomas J. Keating.

State Senator, Dudley G. Roe; County Commissioners, Dr. James W. Crowl, Joseph M. George, J. Clay Stevens; Delegates, George R. Benton, Mordecai M. Price; Sheriff, Edward Earl Coursey; Clerk of Circuit Court, A. Sydney Gadd, jr.; Register of Wills, Dr. Norman S. Dudley; County Treasurer, J. Edgar Bryan; State's Attorney, B. Hackett Turner, jr.; Judges of Orphans Court, C Tilghman Bishop, Henry C. Bowen, Harry B. Moore.

The county showed its attitude on the various constitutional amendments and referendum by voting heavily in favor of the 48-hour marriage intention law; for the additional judge for Cecil county; and against the state lottery and income tax provisions.

Unofficial tabulations will be found in the issue of the Record-Observer.

Easton Woman Killed In Crash Near Matapeake

Mrs. W. Mason Shehan Dies As Car Sideswipes Unlighted Truck

Victim of a crash between an automobile and an unlighted truck on the Matapeake-Stevensville highway Tuesday evening, Mrs. Mason Shehan of Easton, wife of Chief Judge Shehan of the Second Judicial Circuit, was almost instantly killed in the collision in which her son W. Mason Shehan, jr., was also injured. The fatality was the second on Queen Anne's county roads this year.

The accident occurred about a mile east of the Matapeake Ferry terminus, from which Mrs. Shehan and her son were returning after taking another son, Philip Shehan to the ferry on his return to Baltimore where he is employed.

The collision happened shortly before 7 o'clock near Henry Palmer's home on a straight stretch of road wet from a sudden shower. According to reports a truck owned by Baker & Cole and driven by Kenneth Buckel of Grasonville was returning from Baltimore with a load of beer.

The truck had left the ferry and was proceeding east when a fuse blew out, extinguishing the lights. Buckel was said to have pulled over to the right side of the road far enough to have his right wheels off the pavement. The truck body was 91 inches wide.

When he stopped Buckel was said to have asked his wife and his mother-in-law who were riding with him to get ou of the truck, and also to have asked his wife to go behind the truck, to warn oncoming cars while he prepared to light and place flares.

The car driven by W. Mason Shehan, jr., was a touring car or phaeton, Mrs. Shehan was on the right side of the front seat. The right fender of the car passed under the left corner of the truck but the upper portion of the car received the impact and the vehicle moved on about a hundred feet before swerving into a bank at the left of the road.

From her position on the right side of the car Mrs. Shehan received the full force of the impact. She received a deep vertical gash over one eye which fractured her skull, a fractured jaw and a crushed chest. She was taken immediately to Mr. Palmer's home where she died almost immediately.

The touring car was badly damaged, the top torn off and the right side smashed. A door was ripped off and was caught in the rear boards of the shaft-body truck.

Coroner J. West Thompson of Centreville was notified and he went to the scene for a preliminary investigation. He will make his coroner's investigation Monday night.

The crash was also investigated by State Patrolman John T. Knight, stationed at Chestertown, and John Doherty, stationed at Easton. The driver, Buckel, was summoned to attend the coroner's investigation.

Mrs. Shehan was the former Nellie Grace, daughter of William S. Grace, cashier of the Easton National Bank. She was born and educated in Easton. She was married about twenty-seven years ago.

She was known throughout the State as a charming hostess, having entertained many Maryland men of prominence in public office and their families at her home. She and Judge Shehan followed closely their son's career in star yacht class regattas and opened their home to visiting skippers.

She also was recognized as one of the "first ladies" of Easton, seat of Talbot county, and was prominent there in civic and charity enterprises

In addition to her husband, sons and parents, Mrs. Shehan leaves two brothers, Kenneth Grace, of Lexington, Ky., and Philip Grace, of Lyons, Kan., and a sister-in-law, Mrs. William S. Grace, jr., of Easton.

Mason Shehan, jr., is a well-known international starboat racer and is ranking racing skipper in his class on the Chesapeake Bay.

Three Guernsey Bulls Change Ownership

Three registered Guernsey bulls have changed owners within Queen Anne's county recently according to word from the American Guernsey Cattle Club.

Mrs. Helena S. Raskob of Pioneer Point Farms has sold Pioneer Point Milkman to Oscar Chambers of Centreville and Pioner Point Brown Lad to John R. Whaley of Queenstown. Thomas Marsalis of My Lord's Gift Farm sold Broadland Archer to B. R. Messix of Queen Anne.

Judge Keating Gives Charge To Grand Jury

Light Docket Faces November Term. F. A. Bartlett Jury Foreman

One of the lightest dockets in years was prepared for the November term of Court which opened Monday morning with Judges Thomas J. Keating and J. Owen Knotts on the bench. The docket included two criminal trials, thirteen criminal appeals and twelve recognizances. Of the criminal trials and appeals, only one was slated for trial.

Judge Keating delivered the charge to the Grand Jury of which F. Asbury Bartlett was named foreman.

The Court recessed Tuesday, Election Day, and resumed its sitting Wednesday with a civil case up for hearing.

Members of the Grand Jury are F. Asbury Bartlett, chairman; Charles F. Jarman, J. Wilbur Walls, J. Lemuel Kirwan, Gordon L. Shawn, Robert H. Gibson, Charles E. Atkinson, C. W. Anderson, C. Vickers Hollingsworth.

O. Kennard Nelson, C. Clayland Price, Erson R. Leaverton, Otto Cahall, William T. Hayden, John W. Davis, J. Alston Long, Charles S. Quimby, Harry P. Breeding, Daniel G. Connolly, Charles E. Barton, T. Herbert Bowers, Richard H. Phillips, J. Frank Walbert.

Members of the petit jury are S. Nornan Bamberry, George H. Higman, J. Percy Bittle, Clarence S. Everett, N. C. Leverage, Ernest B. Brown, James T. DeLacey, Royden N. Powell, Bernard W. Holden, Wallace Jarman, John McKenney, Abraham Epstein, T. Walter White, J. Bateman Hopkins, William Melvin, Walter C Lee, Max C. Sherman, Richard Davidson, Thomas E. Chance, William S. Cross, Walter Cole, Frank Wiggins, Charles W. Nickerson, George H. Brinsfield, H. Clay Hendrix.

CHARGE TO GRAND JURY

The charge to the Grand Jury was delivered by Judge Keating who prefaced his remarks by a summary of the manner in which juries were selected, followed by a reference somewhat more detailed than usual to three laws required to be called to the attention of each Grand Jury.

From that point his remarks were substantially as follows:

One other law should be called to the attention of the Grand Jury.

Gross and serious charges have been made against this county of ours not only through the local but also the state press as to facts which if true, and to facts entirely ascertainable and to facts stated in the press by those who under the law are immune and who very probably know they are immune to divulging their sources of information.

But these facts are so boldly stated

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